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A bill for an act
relating to health; prohibiting use of electronic delivery devices in certain
places; allowing sampling of vapor from electronic delivery devices; amending
Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 144.413, subdivision 4; 144.4167, subdivision
4.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 144.413, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Smoking.** "Smoking" means inhaling or exhaling smoke from any lighted or heated cigar, cigarette, pipe, or any other lighted tobacco or plant product, or inhaling or exhaling aerosol or vapor from any electronic delivery device, as defined in section 609.685. Smoking also includes earrying holding a lighted or heated cigar, cigarette, pipe, or any other lighted tobacco or plant product intended for inhalation or holding an activated electronic delivery device intended for inhalation.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 144.4167, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Tobacco products shop.** (a) Sections 144.414 to 144.417 do not prohibit the lighting of tobacco or the use of an electronic delivery device, as defined in section 609.685, in a tobacco products shop by a customer only or potential customer for the specific, limited purpose of sampling tobacco products or electronic delivery devices, except as specified in paragraph (b). For the purposes of this subdivision, a tobacco products shop is a an adult-only retail establishment with an entrance door opening directly to the outside that derives more than 90 percent of its gross revenue from the sale of: loose tobacco, plants, or herbs and, cigars, cigarettes, pipes, and other smoking devices for burning tobacco and related smoking accessories, and electronic delivery devices, in which the sale of other products is merely incidental. "Tobacco products shop" does not include

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a tobacco <u>or electronic delivery device</u> department or section of any individual business establishment with any type of liquor, food, or restaurant license. No person under the age <u>of 18 shall be present at or permitted to enter a tobacco products shop at any time.</u>

(b) No customer, potential customer, or any other person may light any tobacco or activate or otherwise use any electronic delivery device in a tobacco products shop unless that tobacco or electronic delivery device is provided directly to the customer or potential customer by the retailer at the time, at no cost to the customer or potential customer

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without expectation of payment for the specific purpose of sampling.

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